COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES - SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT - SUPPLEMENTARY REPORT

DATE: AUGUST 17, 2018

FILE NO.: 018-06307-0381-055

C: ASSAULT WITH DEADLY WEAPON (FIREARM) ON A PEACE OFFICER-245(d)2 PC, ASSAULT WITH DEADLY WEAPON (VEHICLE) ON A PEACE OFFICER-245(c) PC, FELON IN POSSESSION OF FIREARM-29800 (2)C1 PC, FELONY EVADING-2800.2 VC, FELONY HIT AND RUN-20001VC

ACTION: ACTIVE/ADDITIONAL INFORMATION/VICTIM AND WITNESS INTERVIEWS

V1: DEPUTY DORIAN VENTURA #[redacted]
LOS ANGELES COUNTY DEPUTY

V2: DEPUTY JOSHUA SMILOR #[redacted]
LOS ANGELES COUNTY DEPUTY

D: 08-17-18 (FRIDAY) AT 0113 HOURS

L: [redacted] LENNOX BL.
LOS ANGELES, CA., 90304

S: CORNELL GLASS MB/06-07-91 CDL #[redacted], CII #[redacted], FBI #[redacted]

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W: OFFICER [redacted] # [redacted]
CHP WEST LOS ANGELES

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EVIDENCE HELD:

Item # SC 1: Pistol, "Smith & Wesson," M&P .9mm, serial # HRK[redacted]. LASD Department Issued Firearm issued to Deputy Dorian Ventura # [redacted]. Recovered at LASD South Los Angeles Station by Forensic Identification Specialist Sergio Castellon # [redacted].

Item # SC 2: Pistol, "Berretta," Wilson Combat, model 92G, 9mm, serial # [redacted]. LASD on Duty Firearm carried by Deputy Joshua Smilor # [redacted]. Recovered at LASD South Los Angeles Station by Forensic Identification Specialist Sergio Castellon # [redacted].

Item # SC 3: LASD Department Approved uniform pants worn by Deputy Joshua Smilor # [redacted]. Recovered at LASD South Los Angeles Station by Forensic Identification Specialist Sergio Castellon # [redacted]

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On August 17, 2018, Detectives Gunner and Jaime were called out from their respective residences in order to investigate the circumstances surrounding an LASD Deputy involved shooting. Detectives arrived at the command post located at Lennox Park at approximately 0350 hours.

Detectives were told there were 3 crimes scenes which were involved in this incident and were being preserved by deputy personnel. The location where the incident started was located at [redacted]. At 111th Street and Inglewood Avenue the suspect vehicle collided with a vehicle. The termination of the pursuit and location of the deputy involved shooting was located at [redacted] Lennox Bl.

Deputy R. Maas #[redacted] provided a briefing and walk-through of the crime scene to detectives. During the briefing Deputy Maas indicated Deputies Dorian Ventura #[redacted] and Joshua Smilor #[redacted] observed a black 4 door vehicle that had inoperable rear taillights and the driver also committed moving violations of the California Vehicle Code. The deputies initiated a traffic stop on the vehicle at [redacted], in the city of Los Angeles.

Deputies contacted the driver and sole occupant of the vehicle (Suspect Cornell Carey Glass). Suspect Glass was uncooperative with the deputies' request to exit the vehicle. As Suspect Glass started the vehicle deputies saw a handgun between the driver's seat and center counsel. Suspect Glass placed the vehicle in reverse and collided into the front of the deputies patrol vehicle that was parked directly behind the suspect vehicle. Deputy Smilor was standing next to the driver's side door of the suspect vehicle when Suspect Glass placed the car in reverse and accelerated knocking Deputy Smilor to the ground. Deputy Smilor sustained several abrasions and complaint of pain to his left knee as a result of being knocked to the ground by the suspect vehicle.

Suspect Glass fled the scene of the initial traffic stop westbound on 119th PL., and out of view. The deputies conducted an area check and located the suspect vehicle in the area of Imperial Highway and Inglewood Avenue and initiated a pursuit of the suspect vehicle.

During the pursuit Suspect Glass collided into the front of vehicle that was stopped at the intersection of 111th Street and Inglewood Avenue. Officers from the California Highway Patrol (Officers [redacted] and [redacted]) witnessed the accident while waiting for the red light at the intersection. After colliding into the vehicle, Suspect Glass drove onto the north curb line of 111th Street continuing eastbound on the sidewalk narrowly hitting CHP Officer [redacted] who had exited his patrol vehicle after the initial collision between the suspect vehicle and the vehicle they had stopped.

The pursuit continued through numerous streets in the surrounding area where it terminated at the intersection of Lennox Boulevard and Firmona Avenue when the deputies' patrol vehicle and the suspect vehicle were involved in a traffic collision.

The deputies attempted to take Suspect Glass into custody. Suspect Glass pointed a black semi-automatic handgun at the deputies who were standing outside the drivers' side door of the suspect vehicle. A deputy involved shooting occurred where both deputies fired their weapons at Suspect Glass. Suspect Glass sustained injuries as a result of the shooting and he was transported to Harbor UCLA Medical Center for treatment.

After the briefing and the walk through Detectives Morse and Davis were assigned to assist in documenting the crime scene located at Lennox Boulevard and Firmona Avenue. Detectives Baljet and Maurizi were assigned to assist in documenting the scene located at [redacted] Detectives Bernstein and Woodruff were assigned to assist in documenting the scene located east of the intersection of 111th Street and Inglewood

Avenue. Their actions and observations will be documented in separate supplemental reports that will become a permanent part of this investigation.

EVIDENCE RECOVERY AND WEAPON INVENTORY

On 8-17-18, at approximately 0939 hours, prior to our interviews with Deputy Dorian Ventura #[redacted] and Deputy Joshua Smilor #[redacted] detectives met in the conference room with the deputies who were both represented by their attorney Ken Yuwiler. Detectives were assisted by Forensic Identification Specialist Sergio Castellon #[redacted] who recovered the on duty firearms carried by both deputies and conducted an inventory of the unexpended rounds in their duty firearms. The recovery and inventory of the weapons was digitally recorded.

Deputy Dorian Ventura #[redacted] was carrying a Smith & Wesson M&P .9mm semi-automatic pistol, serial # HRK[redacted] (Evidence Item #SC1). The weapon had an X300 frame mounted light, and has a 17 round magazine capacity. FIS Castellon recovered one unexpended round from the chamber of the weapon and 15 unexpended rounds from the magazine. Assuming the firearm was loaded to full capacity this would indicate 2 rounds were fired.

Deputy Joshua Smilor #[redacted], was carrying a Berretta Wilson Combat model 92G .9mm semi-automatic pistol, serial #[redacted] (Evidence Item #2). The weapon had an X300 frame mounted light and an 18 round magazine capacity. FIS Castellon recovered one unexpended round from the chamber and 15 unexpended rounds from the magazine. Assuming the firearm was loaded to full capacity this would indicate 3 rounds were fired.

FIS Castellon also took photographs of both deputies in uniform as well as photographs depicting the torn pant leg of Deputy Smilor's uniform pants and injuries to his left knee.

INTERVIEW DEPUTY DORIAN VENTURA:

On August 17, 2018, at approximately 1109 hours, Detectives met with LASD Deputy Dorian Ventura #[redacted] in the conference room at South Los Angles Station. During the interview Deputy Ventura was represented by his Attorney Ken Yuwiler of the law firm Rains, Lucia, Stern, St. Phalle and Silver. The interview was audio recorded. For exact wording and precise verbiage refer to the audio recording. The following is a summary of the interview:

Deputy Ventura said he and his partner Deputy Joshua Smilor #[redacted] were on routine patrol in a marked black and white patrol vehicle when they observed a black sedan with a broken rear taillight. Deputies effected a traffic stop on the vehicle at [redacted], in the Lennox area of Los Angeles.

Deputy Ventura said he approached the passenger side of the vehicle while his partner approached the driver's side. He said he instructed the driver, later identified as Suspect Cornell Glass, to roll down the windows and turn off the vehicle which he complied.

Deputy Ventura said he heard Suspect Glass tell Deputy Smilor he was on either probation or parole for possession of a firearm. As Deputy Smilor continued to ask Suspect Glass questions he observed Suspect Glass appear to be breathing very heavily he was agitated, sweating profusely and was constantly looking around.

Deputy Ventura said that when Deputy Smilor asked Suspect Glass to exit the vehicle, Suspect Glass yelled, "Fuck this" and he reached for the ignition and started the vehicle. When Suspect Glass lifted his arm to start the vehicle he saw the handgrip of a black semi-automatic pistol wedged between the driver's seat and the center console area of the suspect vehicle.

Suspect Glass ignored the deputies numerous commands to turn off the vehicle, and he

put the vehicle in reverse and accelerated at a high rate of speed. Suspect Glass turned the vehicle toward Deputy Smilor and continued to back the vehicle up at a high rate of speed striking the front of their patrol vehicle with the rear of his vehicle.

Deputy Ventura said he lost sight of his partner until Suspect Glass turned the vehicle in a westbound direction and drove across the front lawn, over the sidewalk, and onto the street and drove away westbound on 119th Pl. and out of view.

Deputy Ventura said he saw Deputy Smilor getting up off the ground, and it appeared Suspect Glass had struck him with the vehicle. Deputies reentered their patrol vehicle and initiated an area search for the suspect vehicle.

A short time later they located Suspect Glass inside the vehicle near the intersection of Imperial Highway and Inglewood Avenue. Suspect Glass drove into the parking lot of the Jack in the Box located at 4737 Imperial Highway and deputies entered the parking lot of the Jack in the Box via the south entrance. While in the parking lot Suspect Glass drove his vehicle directly at their patrol vehicle. Suspect Glass suddenly turned his vehicle in a westbound direction and drove over a curb and back onto Imperial Highway.

Deputy Ventura said Suspect Glass continued to fail to yield to their lights and siren as he drove westbound on Imperial Highway to northbound Inglewood Avenue.

Deputy Ventura said Suspect Glass turned from northbound Inglewood Avenue onto eastbound 111th Street. As they approached the intersection Deputy Ventura said he could see the red and blue overhead lights of a marked California Highway Patrol vehicle that appeared to be on a traffic stop on 111th Street east of Inglewood Avenue.

Deputy Ventura said Suspect Glass made a wide right turn onto 111th Street and he collided into one of the vehicles. He was not sure if Suspect Glass collided into the

Highway Patrol vehicle or the vehicle in front of it. After the collision Suspect Glass drove onto the north sidewalk of 111th Street narrowly hitting California Highway Patrol Officer [redacted] who had exited his vehicle.

Deputy Ventura said they continued pursuing Suspect Glass through various surrounding streets consisting of Dalerose Avenue, 104th Street, Condon Avenue and Lennox Boulevard. The pursuit continued eastbound on Lennox Boulevard approaching Firmona Avenue when Suspect Glass stopped his vehicle abruptly while attempting to make a left turn onto northbound Firmona Avenue. It appeared Suspect Glass was unable to navigate the turn and their patrol vehicle collided into the rear of Suspect Glass's vehicle.

Deputy Ventura said the suspect vehicle came to rest on the northeast corner of Firmona Avenue and Lennox Boulevard where he exited the patrol vehicle and took a positon of cover to the rear of the patrol vehicle. Deputy Smilor approached the driver's side of the suspect vehicle and Suspect Glass was screaming incoherently and he was not responding to their verbal commands.

Deputy Ventura said due to the high-risk situation and his fear of Suspect Glass's propensity to assault them, he approached the driver's side door to assist Deputy Smilor who was struggling with Suspect Glass. He approached the driver's side door with his weapon drawn and punched Suspect Glass two times in the face with his closed left fist. The punches appeared to be ineffective. Deputy Smilor then deployed his OC spray and Suspect Glass put his hands up to his face.

Deputy Ventura said Deputy Smilor opened the driver's side door and attempted to take Suspect Glass into custody. He said Suspect Glass took a crouching position on the driver's seat and then moved over to the passenger seat where he remained crouched. Deputy Ventura believed Suspect Glass was attempting to exit the vehicle through the

passenger window which was blocked by the passenger side airbag.

Deputy Ventura said he saw Deputy Smilor step back away from the driver's side of the vehicle. He saw Suspect Glass was in a semi-bladed position holding a black semi-automatic pistol which he held up against his stomach and he was pointing it directly at Deputy Smilor. He said as Deputy Smilor was stepping back he heard a gunshot but he was not sure where it came from. He believed his partner had been shot. After hearing the gunshot Suspect Glass exited the suspect vehicle through the passenger side window and walked toward him with his hands concealed up against his body.

Deputy Ventura said he moved around to the rear of the suspect vehicle in an attempt to maintain view of the suspect. Suspect Glass turned towards him with his hands still concealed up against his body. Fearing for his and his partner's life he fired his weapon two times at Suspect Glass who fell on the ground.

Deputy Ventura said Suspect Glass fell on his stomach and he was not able to see his hands. He said he gave Suspect Glass several commands to see his hands which Suspect Glass did not comply with. An assisting unit arrived on scene and Deputy Ventura moved behind the unit's hood for protection, not knowing if Suspect Glass had a gun concealed in his hand.

Additional deputies arrived and a tactical plan was then formulated to take Suspect Glass into custody and render medical aid.

The interview was concluded.

DEPUTY SMILOR INTERVIEW

On August 17, 2018, at approximately 1226 hours, Detectives met with LASD Deputy Joshua Smilor #[redacted] in the conference room at South Los Angles Station. During the interview Deputy Smilor was represented by his Attorney Ken Yuwiler of the Law firm Rains, Lucia, Stern, St. Phalle and Silver. The interview was audio recorded. For exact wording and precise verbiage refer to the audio recording. The following is a summary of the interview:

Deputy Smilor said he observed the driver of a black Honda Accord that had an inoperable rear brake light. The vehicle also failed to signal prior to making a left hand turn and was in an improper position for a left turn. Based on the observed California Vehicle code violations he activated the overheard red light and spotlight on his patrol vehicle.

The driver of the vehicle (Suspect Cornell Glass) pulled into a driveway located at [redacted] Deputy Smilor said he approached the driver's side of the vehicle and asked Suspect Glass to roll the windows down and place his hands on the steering wheel. Suspect Glass rolled down the windows and placed his hands on the lower part of the steering wheel with his arms resting on his thighs.

Deputy Smilor greeted Suspect Glass, he asked him how he was doing and where he lived. Suspect Glass gave inconsistent answers to questions and he was sweating profusely, his breathing was extremely rapid and his chest was pounding up and down. Deputy Smilor confronted Suspect Glass about his inconsistent answers, Suspect Glass replied "Fuck you, fuck this" and he reached for the ignition key to start the car.

Deputy Smilor said when Suspect Glass lifted his arm to start the car he observed the slide action and the handgrip of a semi-automatic pistol.



Based on the distinct features of the firearm and his knowledge of guns, Deputy Smilor recognized the weapon as a "FN57" which he referred to as a "Cop Killer."

Deputy Smilor said he advised Deputy Ventura that Suspect Glass was armed and gave Suspect Glass several verbal commands to stop and get out of the vehicle which he refused to comply with. Suspect Glass turned the steering wheel of the car to the right as he put the car in reverse and accelerated rapidly.

Deputy Smilor believed Suspect Glass turned the wheel of the car to the right to intentionally cause the front end of the vehicle to swing toward him causing him to lose his balance and he fell to the ground. He was not sure if he was hit by the front of the suspect vehicle.

Deputy Smilor said he was on the ground when he heard the collision between the suspect vehicle and their patrol vehicle. Suspect Glass then drove across the front lawn and sidewalk of the adjacent property. He said he attempted to maintain contact with Suspect Glass at the driver's side window. Deputy Smilor continued to yell verbal commands for Suspect Glass to stop and get out of the vehicle which he refused. Deputy Smilor said he fell to the ground a second time.

Suspect Glass drove away westbound on 119th Pl., to northbound Felton Avenue and out of view. Deputy Smilor said he shut down the red light and spotlight of the patrol vehicle as he began searching the area for the suspect vehicle.

Deputy Smilor said he saw the suspect vehicle going eastbound on Imperial Highway with the lights turned off. Deputy Smilor was able to close the distance on the suspect vehicle and illuminate the rear license plate and confirmed this was the same vehicle he had stopped at [redacted]

Deputy Smilor activated his overhead lights and siren and advised Deputy Ventura to broadcast they were in pursuit. Suspect Glass entered the parking lot of the Jack in the Box located at 4737 Imperial Highway. Deputies entered the parking lot of the Jack in the Box via the south entrance. While in the parking lot Suspect Glass drove his vehicle directly at their patrol vehicle. Suspect Glass suddenly turned his vehicle in a westbound direction and drove over a curb and back onto Imperial Highway.

Believing Suspect Glass was preparing to intentionally "ram" the patrol vehicle Deputy Smilor took evasive action to avoid a collision with Suspect Glass. Suspect Glass turned his vehicle to the right and drove over several curbs and back onto Imperial Highway westbound toward Inglewood Avenue.

Deputy Smilor said Suspect Glass drove northbound onto Inglewood Avenue to eastbound 111th St., continuing to fail to yield to his red lights and siren.

Deputy Smilor said Suspect Glass made a wide right turn onto eastbound 111th Street where another vehicle and a California Highway Patrol vehicle were behind one another. Deputy Smilor said he heard a collision but he was not able to see which vehicle Suspect Glass collided with.

After the collision Suspect Glass drove his vehicle onto the north sidewalk of eastbound 111th and narrowly missed hitting a CHP officer who was standing near their patrol vehicle on the north sidewalk of 111th Street. Deputy Smilor said he was 100% sure Suspect Glass steered his vehicle directly at the CHP officer standing on the sidewalk.

Deputy Smilor reiterated the same statement as Deputy Ventura regarding the numerous streets the pursuit continued on until Suspect Glass turned onto eastbound Lennox Boulevard toward Firmona Avenue.

Suspect Glass approached the intersection of Firmona Avenue and Lennox Boulevard, and attempted to turn left onto northbound Firmona Avenue. Suspect Glass applied the brakes to the suspect vehicle in an extremely hard manner and came to an abrupt stop.

Deputy Smilor applied the brakes to the patrol vehicle but he was unable to avoid colliding into the rear of the suspect vehicle. Suspect Glass accelerated his vehicle rapidly when he lost control and collided into the northeast curb line of Firmona Avenue and Lennox Boulevard.

Deputy Smilor said the patrol car and the suspect vehicle came to rest, Suspect Glass was in his direct line of sight and he could see Suspect Glass had his hands on the steering wheel. Fearing Suspect Glass might arm himself with the weapon he had seen at the first stop, he exited the patrol vehicle and attempted to restrain Suspect Glass by attempting to keep Suspect Glass's hands on the steering wheel in order to gain compliance and place him in custody.

Deputy Smilor said he struggled to maintain control of Suspect Glass who was able to break free from his grasp. Deputy Ventura assisted him in trying to gain control of Suspect Glass by hitting him (Suspect Glass) two times with a closed fist in the jaw and cheek area.

The strikes administered by Deputy Ventura had no effect on Suspect Glass and Deputy Smilor attempted to distract Suspect Glass by administering a 2-3 second burst of OC spray. The OC spray appeared to have some effect on Suspect Glass because he covered his face with both hands.

Deputy Smilor believed he had attained a slight level of compliance from Suspect Glass and he opened the driver's side door of the suspect vehicle and attempted to take Suspect Glass into custody. Deputy Smilor said when he attempted to take Suspect Glass into

custody, Suspect Glass got into a squatting position with his feet on the driver's side seat and Suspect Glass attempted to exit the vehicle through the passenger side window.

Suspect Glass was prevented from exiting through the passenger side window due to the inflated airbag blocking his exit. Suspect Glass picked up the weapon with his right hand and pointed it directly at Deputy Smilor who was standing inside the open driver's side door. Deputy Smilor said he drew his weapon and fired a single defensive round at Suspect Glass who yelled "Fuck you." Suspect Glass and exited the vehicle though the passenger side window.

Deputy Smilor took a position of cover near the driver's side rear bumper of the suspect vehicle when he saw Suspect Glass "pop up" on the opposite side of the suspect vehicle and he refused to show his hands. Suspect Glass appeared to be walking around the suspect vehicle toward their positon of cover with his hands still concealed against his body and he was noncompliant to their commands to show his hands and get on the ground.

Deputy Smilor said he was uncertain whether Suspect Glass was still armed with the weapon and he believed Suspect Glass was walking toward them with the intention to kill him and his partner and he fired two additional rounds at Suspect Glass.

Deputy Smilor said he was not sure if any of the rounds he fired were effective as Suspect Glass turned and started to walk away from them in an eastbound direction. He said Suspect Glass was still concealing his hands and turned his shoulder toward him and his partner when Deputy Ventura fired two additional rounds at Suspect Glass who fell on the sidewalk.

Deputy Smilor said he was familiar with the FN 57 firearm and the type of rounds the gun utilizes through information he received in recurrent briefings while assigned at [redacted]

[redacted]. He described himself as a "gun enthusiast" and said he at one point was interested in purchasing the same type of firearm.

The interview was concluded.

INTERVIEW OF SUSPECT CORNELL GLASS

On August 17, 2018 at approximately 1426 hours, detectives arrived at Harbor General Hospital in order to check the status of Suspect Christopher Glass. He was observed lying in a bed in the intensive care unit. He was being attended by nursing staff and appeared to go in and out of consciousness. Suspect glass was not handcuffed or under arrest. He was being observed by a Deputy Eric Chapelle #[redacted]

Detectives briefly interviewed suspect glass, but due to his medical condition he spoke very softly and it was difficult to understand him at times. The interview was audio recorded. For exact wording and precise verbiage refer to the recording. The following is a summary of the interview:

Suspect glass was asked if he knew why he was at the hospital. He said he got shot in the back while he was running.

He said he owned the vehicle and it was not stolen. He said he paid $5000 for the car from a guy. He did not know the guy's name but said his phone number was in his phone. Suspect Glass said he did not remember stopping for the police. He talked about being afraid of the police because his [redacted] had been shot in Lancaster by deputies. He further said he did not believe the police had any reason to pull him over. He also said he had just recently repaired his taillight, and it was no longer broken.

Detectives asked Suspect Glass if he remembered crashing into a vehicle and almost hitting a CHP officer. At first he said he did not remember and that he was not crazy. He later said that he drove by the CHP officers so the deputies could not shoot him and they could see the deputies harassing him.

Suspect Glass said he only ran because the police were harassing him. He claims he never crashed into the back of the deputy's vehicle which initiated the incident. He claimed he did not have a gun in the vehicle. He refused to provide a DNA sample in order to confirm his claim. He indicated he believed they would just plant his DNA on the evidence.

Detectives asked him why he would back into the deputies' vehicle. He claimed he didn't and said he did not remember the incident, however, he asked why a deputy would not ask for his license and registration. He said the deputy just stuck his head in the vehicle and began harassing him.

He said numerous times that he was harassed and racially profiled. Detectives asked Suspect Glass if his fingerprints or DNA would be on the gun. He said he did not have a gun, but he was not sure if the deputies put it in his hand while he was passed out.

Detectives asked Suspect Glass about when he was first stopped and pulled into the driveway. He kept saying they were trying to shoot him and they were harassing him. He claimed he did not remember getting stopped, but then said he was being harassed and he should have just rolled up the window and waited for the watch commander.

CHP DASH CAM VIDEO

On August 17, 2018, detectives drove to the West Los Angeles CHP office in order to interview two officers who had witnessed Suspect Glass hit and run a vehicle during the

pursuit. Prior to the interview, detectives were provided with a CD from CHP Sergeant [redacted]. The CD contained dash cam video from the officers' patrol vehicle which showed the suspect's vehicle crashing into a vehicle at the intersection of 111th St. and Inglewood Avenue. The suspect's vehicle sped away with a Sheriff patrol unit pursuing it. The CD will remain in the detective's file.

INTERVIEW OF OFFICER [redacted]

On August 17, 2018 detectives interviewed CHP Officer [redacted]. The interview was conducted at the West Los Angeles CHP office. The interview was audio recorded. For exact wording and precise verbiage refer to the audio recording. The following is a summary of the interview:

Officer [redacted] said that his partner and he had just finished conducting a traffic stop at 111th St. and Inglewood Avenue. They were facing westbound on 111th St. waiting on a red light at Inglewood Avenue. The vehicle that they had just stopped was in front of them also waiting on the red light.

While waiting at the red light, Officer [redacted] observed a vehicle traveling northbound Inglewood Avenue. The vehicle turned onto eastbound 111th St. and collided with the vehicle that was stopped in front of their vehicle. He described the vehicle as a black Honda. He said his partner and he exited their vehicle. The black Honda then drove onto the north sidewalk and continued past their vehicle on the sidewalk narrowly missing his partner. He described the sole occupant of the vehicle as a male Black adult with short black hair.

Officer [redacted] said he drew his firearm fearing for his partner's safety but did not fire at the suspect vehicle. He observed the vehicle was being pursued by a Los Angeles County Sheriff vehicle. Both vehicles continued eastbound on 111th St. out of sight.

INTERVIEW OF OFFICER [redacted]

On August 17, 2018 detectives interviewed CHP Officer [redacted] at the West Los Angeles CHP office. The interview was audio recorded. For exact wording and precise verbiage refer to the recording. The following is a summary of the interview:

Officer [redacted] said his partner and he had just cleared a traffic stop at 111th St. and Inglewood Avenue. He said he heard sirens in the distance and saw a vehicle northbound on Inglewood Avenue traveling at a high rate of speed. The vehicle turned onto eastbound 111th St. and collided with the vehicle they had just stopped.

Officer [redacted] said after the collision his partner and he exited the vehicle. He said he exited from the passenger side and was standing near the passenger door. He said the suspect vehicle continue driving on the sidewalk traveling eastbound on 111th St. toward him. He said he pushed himself up against his car as the vehicle passed by him within 3 to 5 feet. He said he saw the Sheriff vehicle pass by chasing the suspect vehicle.

Detectives asked Officer [redacted] if he had not moved from his location if he would have been struck by the suspect vehicle. He said he did not think so but said it passed by him very close. He believed if he had not moved from his original position the vehicle might have missed him by only a foot.

Officer [redacted] described the suspect driving the vehicle as a male Black adult between 25 to 35 years old with a medium to heavy build.

REVIEW OF SURVEILLANCE VIDEO

Detectives requested assistance from the LASD High Tech Crimes Unit to recover and download surveillance video from various locations.

Surveillance video was downloaded from [redacted], the Jack in the box restaurant located at 4737 W. Imperial Highway, [redacted], and [redacted] in Los Angeles.

On 08-20-2018, detectives obtained and reviewed the video. The following is summary of the video footage obtained. For exact the depiction of the video refer to the cd's from LASD High Tech Crimes Unit.

[redacted]

Due to the distance between the position of camera and the initial traffic stop of Suspect Glass the footage is limited. It does appear to show contact between the vehicles. Both vehicles are seen driving westbound on 119th Pl., toward the location of the residence where the camera was positioned.

Jack in the box restaurant 4737 W. Imperial Highway:

Detectives reviewed a recording of the actual surveillance footage obtained from the monitor at the location. The recording depicts the suspect vehicle driving directly toward the deputies' patrol vehicle and then veering off to the right.

[redacted]

The video depicts the suspect vehicle making a left turn onto 111th Street from Inglewood Avenue. As the suspect's vehicle is making the turn the rear lights are visible in the footage and the brake lights appear to be inoperable. The footage also depicts the collision between the suspect vehicle and the vehicle that was stopped at the intersection. The CHP unit nor the officers can been seen in the video due to the overhead lights of the LASD patrol car.

After the collision the suspect vehicle can be seen driving onto the north sidewalk of 111th Street and out of view.

[redacted]

The video depicts the suspect vehicle and the patrol vehicle approaching the intersection of Lennox Boulevard and Firmona Avenue. The police unit collides with the rear of the suspect vehicle and the suspect vehicle collides into the northeast corner of Lennox Boulevard and Firmona Avenue. The view of the suspect vehicle and the deputies is obstructed by a tree and the headlights from the patrol vehicle. Suspect Glass is observed exiting the suspect vehicle through the passenger side door. Suspect Glass moves eastbound on Lennox Boulevard out of camera view and only the deputies are seen in the footage when a deputy involved shooting occurs.

2ND INTERVIEW DEPUTY DORIAN VENTURA

On August 20, 2018, detectives met and interviewed Deputy Dorian Ventura. The interview was conducted at the LASD Homicide Bureau Office. During the interview Deputy Ventura was represented by his Attorney Ken Yuwiler of the Law firm Rains, Lucia, Stern, St. Phalle and Silver.

The interview was audio recorded. For exact wording and precise verbiage refer to the audio recording. The following is a summary of the interview:

Detectives had requested a follow-up interview with the deputies in order to identify their position on the video due to the poor quality of the video. Detectives further needed clarification of the deputies' actions.

In their initial interviews both deputies said Suspect Glass walked toward them with his hands concealed after he exited the vehicle. Detectives reviewed the video footage and it appeared as though Suspect Glass was running.

Deputy Ventura was provided a copy of the LASD Video Admonishment per MPP section 3-10/115, which he read and acknowledged by signing.

Deputy Ventura said at the time of our initial interview on August 17, 2018, he had been awake approximately 24 hours. Detectives asked Deputy Ventura if his recollection of the events had changed since he reviewed the video.

Deputy Ventura said after reviewing the video it appears Suspect Glass was running, however, his perception of the chain of events the night the shooting occurred has not changed.

Deputy Ventura said he perceived Suspect Glass was walking towards him at the time the shooting occurred. He estimated the distance between him and Suspect Glass at 8 to 10 yards when he fired his initial shot.

Detectives asked Deputy Ventura what he saw Suspect Glass doing prior to firing his first round. Deputy Ventura said Suspect Glass was walking eastbound on the north curb line of Lennox Boulevard away from him when Suspect Glass stopped and bent over.



He lost sight of Suspect Glass's hands and he believed he (Suspect Glass) was reaching for a weapon. As Suspect Glass was bent over, he started to turn toward him and he feared Suspect Glass was going to shoot him.

The interview was concluded.

2ND INTERVIEW DEPUTY JOSHUA SMILOR

On August 20, 2018, detectives met and interviewed Deputy Joshua Smilor. The interview was conducted at the LASD Homicide Bureau Office. During the interview Deputy Smilor was represented by his Attorney Ken Yuwiler of the Law firm Rains, Lucia, Stern, St. Phalle and Silver. The interview was audio recorded. For exact wording and precise verbiage refer to the audio recording. The following is a summary of the interview:

Deputy Smilor was provided a copy of the LASD Video Admonishment per MPP section 3-10/115, which he read and acknowledged by signing.

Detectives asked Deputy Smilor if his recollection of the events had changed since he reviewed the video. Deputy Smilor said his recollection of the events had not changed based on his perception the chain of events occurred "so fast" and were in slow motion. He said in his mind Suspect Glass was walking as he turned toward him and his partner.

Deputy Smilor also said his opinion of what occurred has not changed even after reviewing then video.

The interview was concluded.

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This case is still under investigation with further supplemental reports to follow.

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